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Docket No. 270/271

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Dated: November 27, 2002

Name of Person Certifying: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: LAER BARRETT

Applicant: WHAYNE, James G., et al.

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Serial No.: 10/039,415

Title: **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR USING ANNOTATED IMAGES FOR CONTROLLING THE USE OF DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC INSTRUMENTS IN INTERIOR BODY REGIONS**

Assignee: SciMed Life Systems

Examiner: S. Shaw

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE & FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

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In response to the Office Action mailed on August 28, 2002, enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

- ☒ A Response/Amendment [16] page(s)
- ☐ A Response to Restriction Requirement under 35 USC § 121 [ ] page(s)
- ☐ An Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.111 [ ] page(s)
- ☐ An Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.116 [ ] page(s)
- ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] page(s)

Also included are:

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time [ ] months [ ] page(s)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement  
[ ] page(s) of PTO-1449 [ ] copies of IDS citations
- ☐ Applicant(s) claim Small Entity Status under 37 CFR § 1.27.
- ☒ Terminal Disclaimer
- ☒ Return Postcard

Fee Calculation						
<input type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:						CALCULATIONS
EXTRA CLAIMS FEE				OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS	CURRENT #	# OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID	# EXTRA	RATE	RATE	
Total Claims	- 20			× \$18.00	× \$9.00	\$
Independent claims	- 3			× \$80.00	× \$40.00	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)						
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				\$270.00	\$135.00	\$
Petition for Extension of Time Fee (___ months)						\$
OTHER FEES _____ (specify)						\$
<b>TOTAL FEES =</b>						<b>\$</b>

- ☒ **Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:** An extension of time is requested to provide for timely filing if an extension of time is still required after all papers filed with this communication have been considered.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the above fees is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_, Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_, in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the above-fees. *A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.*
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1192, Docket No. 270/271. *A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.*

DATE: November 27, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

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